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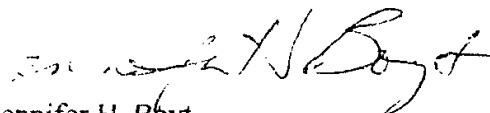
RE: MUR 4945

Dear Mr. Smith:

This is in response to your letter dated November 15, 1999, which we received November 19, 1999, requesting an extension of 30 days to respond to the complaint filed in the above-noted matter. After considering the circumstances presented in your letter, the Office of the General Counsel has granted the requested extension. Accordingly, your response is due by the close of business on December 28, 1999.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,


Jennifer H. Byt
Paralegal Specialist